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REPLY TO NOTIFICATION OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

A Notification of Non-Compliant Amendment was mailed on October 16, 2009. In a telephone conference with the Examiner on November 6, 2009, Applicants' office confirmed with the Examiner that all pending claims are included in the listing of claims. The Examiner believed that claim 19 was supposed to be a Withdrawn claim and therefore should include the claim language. However, as can be seen in the Response to Office Action filed June 9, 2009, claim 19 had been canceled and therefore the claim language does not need to be included. The Examiner

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requested that Applicants file a Reply stating the same and that such a Reply would be responsive to the Notification of Non-Compliant Amendment because it was sent in error.

Respectfully submitted,

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